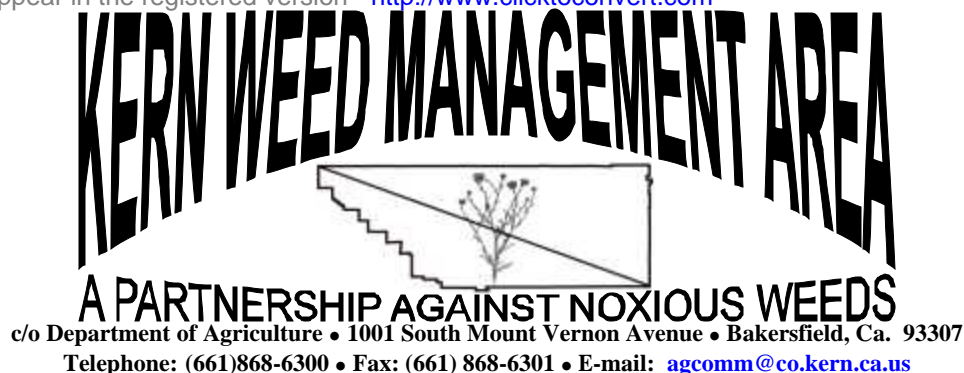


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## **TEHACHAPI RCD**

### **2008 WMA Base Funding Work Plan**

**The Kern Weed Management Area (WMA) Noxious Weed Strike Force  
and Coordination Project.**

**By  
The Tehachapi Resource Conservation District (TRCD)  
Member of the Kern WMA**

***January 1, 2009 – December 31, 2009***

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Kern Weed Management Area (Kern WMA)

#### **Confirmation:**

The Kern WMA wishes to have two (2) separate contracts for baseline funding:

1. The Kern WMA Noxious Weed Strike Force and Coordination Project by the Tehachapi Resource Conservation District (TRCD)

NOTE: The Kern County "A" Rated Weed Eradication Project by the Kern County Department of Agriculture and Measurement Standards--- TO BE SUBMITTED SEPARATELY.

#### **Project Objectives:**

The Tehachapi Resource Conservation District (TRCD), with the cooperation of other Kern WMA partners, will work to eradicate and/or control newly discovered noxious weed populations that Kern WMA members feel need our attention. This baseline funding will help the Kern WMA act quickly to treat these weed populations when other funding sources are not available or sufficient. In addition to funding direct control of noxious weeds identified by Kern WMA members, a small portion of these funds may also be used as needed for the coordination

of other Kern WMA projects and business. Baseline funding not allocated for the above objectives will be used to expand or supplement current Kern WMA projects, if no other weed populations are discovered that require our attention.

The funding requested from this proposal will not be counted as an in-kind match on projects that are currently funded by other CDFA contracts.

**Equipment:**

The TRCD sub-contracts their pest control spraying with a private pest control contractor who uses his own equipment when possible and the TRCD owned equipment (gator ATV, a Randell Sprayer and a Boom Truck) equipment when necessary to complete a job. The TRCD equipment provided will be an In-Kind Contribution.

**Mapping & Monitoring:**

Maps will be produced showing the areas where noxious weed populations were found and treated. Before and after treatment monitoring will also be conducted to measure our success and the need for future treatments.

**Methodology:**

The TRCD provides the appropriate chemicals for treatment of the specific noxious weed, the water to mix the chemical, mileage, map and GPS for locating marked areas on the maps. In turn we receive a reduced rate from the spray contractor.

**Reporting:**

A report will be submitted at the completion of the contract stating acres of each noxious weed species treated, and other information as required by the CDFA contract.